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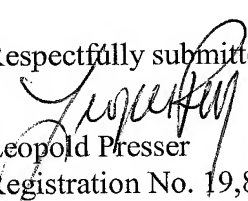
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Sir:

Applicant inquires as to the status of the above-identified application. The application was filed on September 23, 2005. To date Applicants have not received any substantive communications from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office.

Accordingly, please provide Applicants with an indication as to the current status of the above-identified application.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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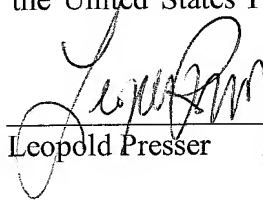
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